# MINUTES BLOOMINGTON MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL (MAC)

Tuesday, September 4, 2018 at 6:30 pm

## 1. CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Larry Burgos called the meeting to order at 6:34 pm.

#### 2. ROLL CALL OF MAC MEMBERS:

Larry Burgos – Present

Gary Grossich – Present

Israel Fuentes – Present

Betty Gosney – Present

Eric Scott – Not Present

# 3. DIGNITARIES IN ATTENDANCE:

Greg Young – Vice President, West Valley Water District Board of Directors Kyle Crowther – Director, West Valley Water District Board of Directors

### 4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Minutes of June 5, 2018 meeting were approved.

# 5. SPECIAL AWARD PRESENTATION:

Joe Burgueno was given an award for his service to the community through his volunteer work with Olive Branch by providing free haircuts to students going back to school. Joe owns the Bloomington Old Town Barber Shop, which has proudly been serving the Bloomington community for over 20 years.

### 6. STAFF REPORTS:

**CHP** – Officer John Salcedo introduced himself as the new representative for Bloomington. He sent Officer Markos' regrets. Officer Salcedo will bring stats next month. He provided an update regarding increased enforcement in school areas.

**Sheriff's Department** – Not present.

County Fire Department – Not present.

**Special Districts** – Aaron Speer provided copies of the fall program brochure and answered questions regarding future programs the community would like to see offered. He answered a question about the installation of a Bloomington Little League Sign at Kessler Park.

Supervisor Gonzales' Office – Erika Willhite thanked Assemblymember Eloise Gomez Reyes for introducing AB 1330, which will allow for the relocation of Ayala Park. She invited the community to attend the Regional Outreach meeting for the Countywide Plan on Monday September 24 from 6pm-8pm at 850 E. Foothill Blvd. If you cannot make the meeting, but you would like additional information about the Countywide Plan please visit <a href="www.countywideplan.com">www.countywideplan.com</a>. Erika stated that there will be a public hearing regarding the proposed Slover Distribution Center Project on September 25 at 10am. She also announced that this will be Susanna's last meeting as MAC Clerk.

## 7. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS:

Mark Hartwig, Chief of the San Bernardino County Fire Protection District, gave a presentation regarding the proposed FP-5 expansion. Chief Hartwig provided information regarding the current financial state of the fire district, Bloomington currently contributes approximately \$2.1 million of property tax revenue to support fire service. He answered questions regarding the process and directed the community to visit <a href="www.sbcfire.org">www.sbcfire.org</a> for more information.

#### 8. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

#### Old Business –

- Topics for Upcoming Agendas:
  - TBD Code Enforcement Updates
  - o TBD San Bernardino County Museum Updates
  - TBD Colton Unified Joint School District Updates
  - TBD Bloomington Family Wellness Center Updates

**New Business** – There was a suggestion to rename the Small Business Recognition Program to the Outstanding Citizens Award. Betty Gosney made a motion to rename the award and it was seconded by Israel Fuentes. The motion passed with all in favor.

The MAC members had a discussion regarding the proposed West Valley Logistics Center Project in the City of Fontana. Gary Grossich made a motion to have staff draft a letter to Supervisor Gonzales regarding their concerns related to traffic, road maintenance and mitigation efforts related to Bloomington. Betty Gosney seconded the motion and it passed with all in favor.

### 9. COMMUNITY EVENTS:

 Western Days Event – October 27<sup>th</sup> at Kessler Park. The event organizers are in need of advertisement assistance, please contact Dave Jayne if you are able to help.

## 10. PUBLIC COMMENT:

**Alice Trejo** – Ms. Trejo expressed her concerns regarding increased crime near her home. She also inquired about the amount of stray dogs she sees in the community.

**Daisy Chisholm** – Ms. Chisholm mentioned the water buildup that is attracting mosquitos near Bloomington Estates. She stated that trees outside of Zimmerman Elementary need to be trimmed or cut down. Ms. Chisholm expressed her concerns related to new warehouses being built in Bloomington and the increase of trucks driving on residential streets.

Mr. Bazo – Mr. Bazo inquired about the zoning north of Bloomington Jr. High on Orange St. and Cedar Ave.

**Bryan Harrell** – Mr. Harrell asked if there was supposed to be a school build south of Santa Ana Ave. and east of Cedar Ave.

# 11. MAC MEMBER COMMENT:

**Israel Fuentes** – Mr. Fuentes thanked everyone for attending the meeting. He asked the community to call to report any issues and to be safe when dropping off kids at school. Mr. Fuentes reminded everyone to check on senior citizens.

**Gary Grossich** – Mr. Grossich provided an update related to the Colton Joint Unified School District Bridge Committee. He stated that he attended a luau at the REC Center and the back to school event hosted by Olive Branch.

Betty Gosney – Mrs. Gosney thanked the community for attending and bring a friend next month.

**Jackie Cox** – Mrs. Cox thanked everyone for attending the meeting.

**Larry Burgos** – Mr. Burgos thanked everyone for attending and to please use the resource list on the back of the agenda.

#### 12. ADJOURN MEETING:

Larry Burgos adjourned meeting at 8:44 pm.

NEXT MEETING October 2, 2018 at 6:30pm